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ADDITIONAL ATTACHMENTS

TRANSMITTAL LETTER (WITH MAILING CERTIFICATE), CERTIFIED
COPY OF JAPANESE PATENT APPLN. NO. 2002-315733, TRANSMITTAL
LETTER (WITH MAILING CERTIFICATE) and ONE SHEET OF FORMAL
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The above-identified application was filed claiming the right of priority based on the following foreign application(s).

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| 1. Japanese Patent Appln. No. 2002-315733 | filed October 30, 2002 |
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Certified copy(s) are annexed hereto and it is requested that these document(s) be placed in the file and made of record.

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ATTENTION: DRAFTING

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Attached hereto are formal drawings or corrected formal drawings for the above-identified application.

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